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Part B for January 1929.

SUBJECT

Technical assistants to the Amildars for village Panchayet work

8 & 4 To the Revenue Commr
no L 4756. dated 22nd January 1929

States that it is unnecessary to give technical assistance to Amildars as proposed, after the abolition of the posts of village Panchayet Inspectors.

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Letter No. C. 5729/27-28 & 46/18. 6. 28 from the Rev Comr in Mysore.

States that when the supervision of the Village Panchayats is changed to the Revenue Inspector from the Village Panchayat Inspectors, there is very great necessity for one Revenue versed in surveying, levelling, estimating to render technical assistance to the Amildar in the preparation and execution of annual works of rural reconstruction and suggests that this additional hand may be designed as Taluk Sub-overseer or overseer and adds further that if this proposal is accepted, the present V. P. Inspectors who were drafted from the Sanitary Inspectorate, may be absorbed in the new posts of Taluk overseers

Letter No. C. 1830/28-29 & 26/27. 6. 28 from the Rev Comr in Mysore

Forwards for Govt's a copy of letter No. 2-1551/28 & 15. 6. 28 from the Dy Comr Mysore Dist in the matter of appointment of Revenue Inspectors as Ex-Officio V. P. Inspectors in their respective Hobli and States that Govt are prepared to sanction the proposal

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proposals submitted by him, it is not necessary to entrust technical matters to the Revenue Inspector as proposed by the Govt.

In G.O. No. L 711-29/V.P. 63-27-5 dt. the 21st/24th July 1928 sanction was accorded to the retention of the services of the Village Panchayat Inspectors till the end of June 1929 and it was also directed therein that their appointments will cease from the beginning of 1929-30 and that their work should be entrusted to the Revenue Inspectors.

In this connection the Presidents of District Boards were also requested to absorb the Village Panchayat Inspectors, who were formerly drafted from the Sanitary Inspectorate, in the vacancies of San[y] Inspectors that may occur hereafter. (Vide G.O. No. L 1770-87/LB 11-28-3 dt. 25-8-28).

3 In connection with the proposal of entrusting the Village Panchayat Work to the Revenue Inspectors, the Revenue Com[r] has stated that, as the Revenue Sanitary Inspector is saddled with the heavy work of the Revenue Deptt, he will have no time to attend to the technical work of rural reconstruction and that he will not be able to do justice to any portion of

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portion of his multifarious work.

4 He therefore proposes that an hand worker in surveying, levelling, estimating and Sanitary Engineering, may be employed in each Taluk so as to render technical assistance to the Taluk in the preparation and execution of Rural Works of Rural Reconstruction and that he may be designated as Taluk Sub-overseer or over-seer and that the present V.P. Inspectors, who were drafted from the Sanit. Inspectorate may be absorbed in the new posts, ~~created~~

5 If the proposal of the Rev Comr is accepted, the Revenue Inspector will be in Charge of the executive supervision of the Panchayet and the Taluk overseer will be in Charge of all the Works connected with the Rural & Re construction.

6 Submitted for orders. The file may, if approved be sent to the Revenue Branch for noting the decision arrived at on the subject, at the Officers' meeting recently held at the Sec'y has also to be connected.

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46 The principal provisions are

1) The appointment of Technical Posts of Taluk Engineers & Overseers

2) The Boundaries for Village Panchayat works after the abolition of the present Village Panchayat Inspectors & the appointment of the New Inspectors as Taluk Panchayat Inspectors. It is proposed to entrust Taluk Engineers & Overseers the technical work of Annual Reconstruction such as the preparation of plans & estimates for works & supervision of works including well sinking & tank maintenance

3) Delegation of powers to the New Inspectors as ex-officio Panchayat Inspectors as proposed in the Bye-laws framed thereto. Of the proposal in (1) is approved, the Board says that the duties relating to works executed may be omitted

4) The Bangalore Corporation has also urged the appointment of a Work Inspector. as first, have referred to pp R 295-297 & 372-376-8 of 30/4/29 that the responsibility & execution & supervision of works done in the New Areas.

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The appointment of Panchayat Inspector may be abolished at the end of the current official year as already decided, and the duties of this office may be transferred to the Rev Inspector

The Rev commr considers that the Builder should have a Technical Assistant to supervise the execution of village Panchayat works and town maintenance works and proposes in effect, that the appointment of Panchayat Inspector should be continued under an altered designation. It however seems to be unnecessary for Govt to provide an agency to execute or supervise Panchayat works. ~~This should be done by the Panchayat itself~~ This should be left to the Panchayat itself. In the rare cases in which grant-in-aid has to be given with reference to the cost of a work, the Builder can make a rough valuation

The question of giving a staff for town maintenance work has also been raised in this connection. This work too does not require a separate technical agency

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In special cases, the Dy. Commr. can obtain the assistance of the P.W.D. as laid down in the G.O. of 30th Sept 1927. The total quantity of earthwork done to tanks by way of annual maintenance is about 50 to 60 thousand rupees and it would seem extravagant to spend an equal amount upon a special supervising staff

(Secy. Member) 30/11

I quite agree.

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Draft is submitted for approval

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OF THE SECOND REVENUE BOARD OF COUNCIL 1 DEC. 1928 No. 4220

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The Revenue Engr.
no L 4756 dated 22-1-1929
states that there is no
necessity to provide an agency to
supervise & execute Panchayet
and tank maintenance works

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No. C.5726/27-28.

OFFICE OF THE REVENUE COMMISSIONER IN MYSORE,

Dated Bangalore, 16th October 1928.

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FROM

P. G. D'SOUZA, ESQ., B.A., B.L.,
REVENUE COMMISSIONER IN MYSORE.

REV. SECTT.
20 OCT. 1928
L. S. G. BRANCH.

To

The Chief Secretary to the Government of His Highness the Maharaja of Mysore, Bangalore.

CHIEF SECRETARY
19 OCT. 1928

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V.P45-28-1

SIR,

Adverting to Government Order No.L.711-28/V.P.63-27-5 dated the 21st/24th July 1928 sanctioning the continuance of the Village Panchayet Inspectors to the end of the current official year, and Government Order No.L.1771-87/L.B.11-28-3 dated the 24th/25th August 1928 directing the Presidents of District Boards to appoint the Village Panchayet Inspectors who were formerly Sanitary Inspectors, in the vacancies of Sanitary Inspectors that may occur hereafter as far as possible, I have the honour to submit as follows :--

Apart from the difficulty of absorbing such of the Village Panchayet Inspectors who were formerly Sanitary Inspectors, if the posts of Village Panchayet Inspectors are abolished, there is another aspect to be considered. Several of the Deputy Commissioners are of opinion that there is need for a technical assistant to the Amildar to look after the Village Panchayets work vide reports submitted to Government with this Office letter No.C.2551/27-28 dated the 12th/17th October 1928. Besides, I think that the Amildar should have the assistance of technical men to help him in other matters also besides Village Panchayet work. The Revenue Inspector saddled as he is with the heavy work of the Revenue Department and the work of other Departments like Income-tax, Excise, Co-operation which is ever increasing, will in my opinion, not have the time to attend to the technical work of rural reconstruction, such as, preparing

Sub Over-seer or Over-seer. If this proposal is accepted, the present Village Panchayet Inspectors who were drafted from the Sanitary Inspectorate may be absorbed in the new posts of Taluk Over-seers, and they may be given some training in tank works as they have already got training in Sanitary Engineering, road construction and building and well works. Under this new arrangement, the Revenue Inspector will be in charge of the Executive supervision of the Panchayets and the Taluk Over-seer will be in charge of all the works connected with rural improvement whether undertaken by Village Panchayets or independently of them as in the case of tank maintenance works, which are not entrusted to the Village Panchayets.

I have the honour to be,

S i r ,
Your most obedient servant,

Revenue Commissioner.

OFFICE OF THE REVENUE COMMISSIONER
IN MYSORE,

No. C.1830/28-29.

Encl. Two.

Camp Mysore,
Dated ~~Bangalore~~ 25th October 1928.

FROM

P. G. D'SOUZA, ESQ., B.A., B.L.,
REVENUE COMMISSIONER IN MYSORE.

GEN. & REV. SECTT.
30 OCT. 1928
L. S. G. BRANCH.

To

CHIEF SECRETARY.
29 OCT. 1928

The Chief Secretary to the Government
of His Highness the Maharaja of Mysore,
Bangalore.

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V.P.45-28-2

SIR,

In continuation of my letter No.C.5729/27-28 dated the 18th October 1928 and letter No.C.2551/27-28 dated the 18th October 1928, in the matter of giving the assistance of a technical hand to the Amildar of each Taluk for Village Panchayet work etc., I have the honour to forward herewith copy of letter No.D.2-1551/28 dated 15th October 1928 and its enclosure from the Deputy Commissioner, Mysore District, in the matter of appointment of Revenue Inspectors as ex-officio Village Panchayet Inspectors in their respective Hoblis and to state that the question of giving the assistance of a technical hand to the Amildars for Village Panchayet work was discussed at the officers meeting held at Mysore on 22nd instant. If Government are prepared to sanction the proposals submitted by me, it is not necessary to entrust technical matters to the Revenue Inspectors as proposed by the Deputy Commissioner, Mysore and items No.4, 5, 6, 7, 14, 17 and 18 in the notification accompanying may be omitted. If the Government are not in favour of giving a technical hand, all the functions will have to be delegated to the Revenue Inspectors.

I have the honour to be,

S i r,

Your most obedient servant,

Revenue Commissioner.

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Letter No.D.2-1551/28 dated 15th October 1928, from the Deputy Commissioner, Mysore District, to the Revenue Commissioner in Mysore.

Appointment of Revenue Inspectors as Ex-officio Inspectors of Village Panchayets.

I have the honour to state that in order to train the Revenue Inspectors for Village Panchayets work in their jurisdiction, when the posts of inspectors of Village Panchayets will be abolished, it is necessary to associate them more intimately with the working of the Panchayets and this is best done by giving them a definite duty and responsibility. As matters stand now, he has no definite standing in relation to the Panchayets. Much progress cannot be expected to be achieved unless this position is altered, and I think that, in the interests of the future working of Village Panchayets in the District, the Revenue Inspectors should be appointed Ex-officio Panchayet Inspectors of the Village Panchayets in their respective Hoblies under Section 50 of the Regulation as per draft enclosed.

I request the favour of early orders.

" C o p y "

For Revenue Commissioner.

Notification.

It is hereby notified for the information of the public that the Revenue Inspectors (formerly termed Sheikdars) of the several Hoblies in the District are appointed as Ex-officio Inspectors of Village Panchayets in their respective Hoblies and are empowered to perform all the duties of Panchayet Inspectors as laid down in General and Revenue Secretary's letter No.L.5528-36/L.B. 26-26-152 dated 8th February 1927, which are reproduced below for easy reference. This does not in any way take away the responsibility of the wholetime Inspectors of Village Panchayets, so long as they hold appointment.

List of duties:--

(1) Inspecting books, proceedings, records and registers of Panchayets.

(2) Keeping the Amildar informed of the state of working of Panchayets by submission of fortnightly diaries.

(3) Bringing to the notice of the Amildar forthwith, any mismanagement by the Panchayet which would justify his interference.

(4) Scrutinising plans and estimates.

(5) Inspecting Public Works during progress.

(6) Inspecting Village Sanitation and institutions managed by Panchayets.

(7) Inspecting places where offensive and dangerous trades or business are carried on.

(8) Checking of Budgets.

(9) Instructing Panchayets in maintaining accounts.

(10) Reporting on the work of each Panchayet to the Amildar.

(11) Carrying out orders issued by officers of the Revenue Departmen for the better and efficient working of the Panchayets.

(12) Helping the Chairman in the preparation of Budgets.

(13) Assisting the Amildar in the supervision and control of Village Panchayets.

(14) Assisting the Village Panchayets with regard to sanitary measures.

(15) Inspecting the work of Village Panchayets generally and having access to all the books and papers of the Panchayets.

(16) Assisting Chairman in collection work.

(17) Furnishing each Panchayet with a programme of sanitary works to be undertaken by them in their order of urgency.

(18) Laying out or helping Panchayets in laying out sites in extensions of villages.

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(19) Being present at elections of members, Secretary and Chairman when required by the Amildar.

(20) Being the executive assistant to the Amildar.

(21) Seeing that the directions of the Amildar are carried out.

(22) Seeing that obligatory and delegated duties are duly carried out.

(23) Exercising efficient control over the working of Panchayets without interfering with the internal management.

(24) Any other duty that may be prescribed by the Amildar or any other higher officer.

" C o p y "

For Revenue Commissioner.

BR.

No. C. 990/28-29

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OFFICE OF THE REVENUE COMMISSIONER
IN MYSORE,

Dated, Bangalore, 15th November 1928.

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GEN. & REV. SECTT.
19 NOV. 1928
L. S. G. BRANCH

FROM

P. G. D'SOUZA, ESQ., B.A., B.L.,
Revenue Commissioner in Mysore.

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To

The Chief Secretary to the Government
of His Highness the Maharaja of Mysore,
Bangalore.

CHIEF SECRETARY,
16 NOV. 1928

SIR,

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In continuation of this Office letter No.C 5729/27-28 dated 18th October 1928, proposing the appointment of Taluk overseers etc., I have the honour to forward herewith a copy of letter No.C9-1655/27-28 dated 16th August 1928 from the Deputy Commissioner, Bangalore District making similar proposal.

I have the honour to be

Sir,

Your most obedient servant,

M. Bheemaiya for 15/11/28

Assistant Commissioner
for Revenue Commissioner.
Absent from station.

G.R. cmp

Letter No. C9-1652/27-28 dated 16th August 1928, from the Deputy Commissioner, Bangalore District to the Revenue Commissioner in Mysore.

Responsibility to execute and supervise neglected Tank Maintenance works and take their measurements in Taluks.

With reference to para 5 of Government Proceedings No.R.2315-25/ M.R. 312-26-5 dated the 30th September 1927 ordering that all maintenance works except those involving heavy outlay on technical difficulties should be carried out by the Revenue Department and that to this end the Sheikdars should be trained to prepare estimates and take measurements of tank maintenance works, I have the honour to state that all the Sheikdars have to be given a thorough and practical training in preparing estimates, checking works and taking their measurements if they are not to be imposed upon by unscrupulous contractors, but none of them has had such training till now, and even if they are given the required training, it is practically impossible for most of them to bestow on these works the care and attention that they demand, and especially in view of the contemplated reduction of the number of hobblies and the transfer of the Village Panchayet work to Revenue Inspectors in all Taluks which would come into effect from the next year.

2. At a meeting of Sub Division Officers and Amildars held in my Office on 9th July 1928 all the officers present brought to my notice the practical difficultues they were labouring under in this respect, and after a thorough discussion of the whole subject it was decided that you should be requested to kindly move Government to revive the post of Tank Inspectors if the work should be taken up by the Revenue Department at all, as otherwise, it would not be possible for Amildars to devote adequate attention to this important work for which they are held personally responsible.

3, In the circumstances, I request that Government may kindly be addressed to sanction a tank of work Inspector, at least for each of the taluks in which there are a hundred or more tanks, or, in the alternative, to direct that the works should be carried out under the supervision of Public works Officer as at present.

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Revenue Commissioner

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No. L 4756

Diary No. of letter replied to 17862

General and Revenue Secretariat

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To

The Rev. Comr. in charge.

Date of issue 22/1/29

Signed by ... M.D. D.L.S. 29/1/29

Sir,

With ref. to your letter No. C 5720/27-28 of the 16th (18th) October 1928 stating that in consequence of the abolition of the post of Village Panchayat Inspectors and the transfer of their work to the Revenue Inspectors with effect from next official year, there will be very great necessity for one hand for rendering technical assistance to the Amildar in the preparation and execution of survey work, relating to rural reconstruction and suggesting that the present Village Panchayat Inspectors who

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provide an agency to supervise
execute Panchayat Works. This
will be left to the Panchayat Union
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has to be given with regard to the
ite of a Work, the Minister could make
simple valuation.

2. As regards giving a staff
for Taluk Maintenance Work,
am to state that this Work also
not make a separate
technical agency. In special cases
the Govt may could obtain the assistance
of the P.W.D as laid down in G.O
No. R 2315-25 & R 312-26-59 dated
30th Sept 1927.

I have to

Chief Secy

Chief Engr Roads Branch

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Government of his highness the Maharaja of Mysore.

GENERAL AND REVENUE DEPARTMENTS.

G. O. No L. 4756—V. P. 45-28-4, dated the 22nd January 1929.

Technical assistance to Amildars for Village Panchayet Works.

States that it is unnecessary to give —— after the abolition of the post of Village Panchayet Inspectors.

No. L. 4756—V. P. 45-28-4, dated 22nd January 1929.

From

N. MADHAVA RAO, Esq., B.A., B.L.,

Chief Secretary to the Government of His Highness the Maharaja of Mysore.

To

P. G. D'SOUZA, Esq., B.A., B.L.,

Revenue Commissioner in Mysore,
Bangalore.

Sir,

With reference to your letter No. C. 5720—27-28, dated the 16th—18th October 1928, stating that in consequence of the abolition of the post of Village Panchayet Inspectors and the transfer of their work to the Revenue Inspectors with effect from next official year there will be very great necessity for one hand for rendering technical assistance to the Amildar in the preparation and execution of several works relating to rural reconstitution and suggesting that the present Village Panchayet Inspectors who were drafted from the Sanitary Inspectorate may be absorbed under the designation of Taluk Overseers in the new posts, I am directed to observe that it is unnecessary to provide an agency to supervise or execute Panchayet works. This should be left to the Panchayets themselves. In rare cases in which grant-in-aid has to be given with reference to the cost of a work, the Amildar could make a rough valuation.

2. As regards a staff for tank maintenance work, I am to state that this work does not also require a separate technical agency. In special cases, the Deputy Commissioner may obtain the assistance of the Public Works Department as laid down in Government Order No. R. 2315-25—L. R. 312-26-59, dated the 30th September 1927.

I have the honour to be,
Sir,
Your most obedient servant,

N. MADHAVA RAO,
Chief Secretary to Government.

Exd.—P. S. R. N.

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